

Northwest MAC Group

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Documentation of NW MAC Decisions

Decision 11
September 9, 2011

National Preparedness Level	Northwest Preparedness Level
3	4

Strategic Intent:

1. Support ongoing large fires, maintain IA capability across the geographic area, and identify a Ready Reserve (1 T-3 Helicopter, 5 Engines, and 8 T-2 Crews) to be deployed with the next T-1 or T-2 IMT ordered.

PNW Incident Priorities (*set once per day*):

<u>Priorit</u> <u>y</u>	<u>Fire</u>	<u>Unit</u>	<u>IC</u>	<u>Rationale</u>
1	Initial Attack			
2	Monastery Complex	WA SES	LaFave	Structures and Highway 97 still threatened
3	Dollar Lake	OR MHF	Pendleton	Bull Run Watershed and private lands threat; air quality concerns
4	Cactus Mountain	OR WWF	West	Rugged terrain; high recreation use area
5	High Cascades Complex	OR WSA	Goff	Badger Butte fire threat to tribal timber value; high fire fighter exposure
6	Shadow Lake	OR DEF	Bennett	Active fire behavior; high public exposure along Hwy 126
7	Chicken Hill	OR WWF	Reed	80% lined; 40% contained
8	Big Hump	WA OLF	Johnson	High public interest; high visibility
9	Little Butte	OR RSF	Paul	Containment expected today
10	Mother Lode	OR MHF	Suwyn	Wilderness objectives not defined

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• Bureau of Land Management
• U.S. Forest Service
• U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service
• National Park Service

• Bureau of Indian Affairs
• Washington State Fire Marshal
• Washington State Association of Fire Chiefs
• Washington State Dept. of Natural Resources

• Oregon Department of Forestry
• Oregon Fire Chiefs Association
• Oregon State Fire Marshal